

Applicant respectfully traverses the Examiner's restriction requirement, asserting that Claim 1 is generic, reading on all inventions identified by the Examiner. Applicant respectfully asserts that upon the allowance of a generic claim, Applicant will be entitled to consideration of all claims written in dependent form or otherwise include all of the limitations of an allowed generic claim as provided by 37 CFR §1.141. Accordingly, if Applicant's traversal is not sustained, Applicant, in the alternative, elects the invention disclosed in Claims 1-14 for prosecution on the merits.

If the foregoing communication does not meet the Examiner's election requirement, or if the Examiner has any additional comments or questions, the Examiner is respectfully urged to call the undersigned at 515-288-9263 to further clarify or define Applicant's election.

Respectfully submitted,



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